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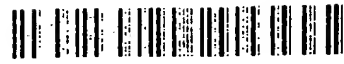
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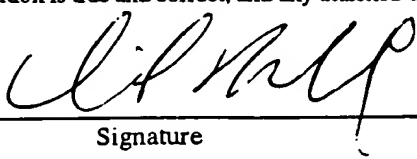
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CONFIRMATORY ASSIGNMENT

This will confirm the prior assignments made by and between LARRY J. WINGET, an individual, having an address at 1799 Foxknoll, Leonard, Michigan 48038 (hereinafter "WINGET"), and PATENT HOLDING COMPANY, a Michigan corporation, having a place of business at 33662 James J. Pompo, Fraser, Michigan 48026 (hereinafter "PHC").

For valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, WINGET confirms his assignment and transfer to PHC, and its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, of his entire right, title, and interest in and to each U.S. patent listed on Appendix A and each patent application listed on the attached Appendix B and patents issuing thereon, and in any continuations, continuations-in-part, divisionals, reexaminations, renewals or reissues thereof (i.e. the Letters Patent), and to the inventions described therein including any corresponding patent applications filed and patents issuing thereon and any legal equivalent thereof in any foreign country, including the right to claim priority. This Confirmatory Assignment covers all inventions existing at the time of formation of PHC, and thereafter.

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